

the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2010-0030; Directorate Identifier 2009-NM-135-AD; Amendment 39-16940; AD 2012-02-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6129. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2010-1311; Directorate Identifier 2009-NM-229-AD; Amendment 39-16938; AD 2012-02-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6130. A letter from the Senior Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Application, Review, and Reporting Process for Waivers for State Innovation [CMS-9987-F] (RIN: 0938-AQ75) received April 24, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6131. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Guidance on Reporting Interest Paid to Non-resident Aliens [TD 9584] (RIN: 1545-BJ01) received April 23, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6132. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Application of the Normal Retirement Age Requirements to Governmental Plans [Notice 2012-29] received April 23, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

*[Pursuant to the order of the House of May 16, 2012, the following report was filed on May 23, 2012]*

Mr. CULBERSON: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 5854. A bill making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes. (Rept. 112-491). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ADERHOLT: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 5855. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes. (Rept. 112-492). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

*[Pursuant to the order of the House on May 16, 2012, the following reports were filed on May 25, 2012]*

Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 5856. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes. (Rept. 112-493). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Ms. GRANGER: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 5857. A bill making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes. (Rept. 112-494). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

*[Filed May 25, 2012]*

Mr. UPTON: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 5651. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to revise and extend the user-fee programs for prescription drugs and for medical devices, to establish user-fee programs for generic drugs and biosimilars, and for other purposes. (Rept. 112-495). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII,

Mr. SCHWEIKERT introduced a concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 126) expressing the sense of Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued honoring Bill Keane; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. CULBERSON:

H.R. 5854.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states: "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law . . . ." In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the spending power) provides: "The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States . . . ." Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

By Mr. ADERHOLT:

H.R. 5855.

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By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 5856.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states: "No Money shall be drawn from the

Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law . . . ." In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the spending power) provides: "The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States . . . ." Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

By Ms. GRANGER:

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#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 312: Mr. JONES.

H.R. 529: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 1063: Ms. BUERKLE.

H.R. 1146: Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee.

H.R. 1386: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. POLIS, Ms. HOCHUL, Mr. HONDA, and Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 1418: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 1489: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 1639: Mr. WALDEN and Mr. MCKEON.

H.R. 2245: Mr. CRENSHAW and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 2514: Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 2741: Mr. BONNER.

H.R. 2866: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.

H.R. 3066: Mr. WALDEN.

H.R. 3364: Mr. SCHRADER, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Mr. KIND.

H.R. 3444: Mr. KING of Iowa.

H.R. 3831: Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 3839: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 4091: Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. BOREN.

H.R. 4228: Mr. POE of Texas.

H.R. 4480: Mr. REHBERG.

H.R. 4965: Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. BOREN, Mr. TERRY, and Mr. CHANDLER.

H.R. 5684: Mr. GONZALEZ and Mrs. DAVIS of California.

H.R. 5707: Mr. OLVER, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. WELCH.

H. Con. Res. 122: Mr. TOWNS.

H. Res. 351: Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.

H. Res. 663: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. ISRAEL, and Mr. HANNA.